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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING  
BATCHES OF IMMUNOCOMPETENT CELLS  
COLLECTED FROM HUMAN OR ANIMAL  
SUBJECTS FOR DEFERRED USE, AND  
RELATED THERAPY METHODS

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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March 15, 2006

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of November 15, 2005,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.